

EVOLVE LEVEL 6, Unit Quiz 2B

- Sarah** Hi, Mike. You won't believe what I did this weekend!
- Mike** What?
- Sarah** I watched my grandpa jump out of a plane!
- Mike** Are you serious! He shouldn't be doing things like that at his age. Even I wouldn't do that!
- Sarah** That's a bit narrow-minded, don't you think? OK yes, he's 78. But it was something he'd always wanted to do.
- Mike** Well, I think there's a time and a place for everything. What did your mom think?
- Sarah** She was genuinely happy for him. Unlike you!
- Mike** Look, I think when you get past a certain age you should... er ... know your limits. You don't have the same strength or balance.
- Sarah** Interesting you should say that. Next month he's going skiing with some friends.
- Mike** Really? That's crazy. When people get that old, they should just accept it.
- Sarah** Funny. He doesn't think that he's old at all. He says he doesn't feel any different from when he was 30. And he hates it when people call him old. You don't like it when people call you a millennial, do you?
- Mike** That's because they always use that label in a negative way. You know, saying we are aloof, lazy, and want to be rewarded just for participating and all that stuff ... nobody talks about the positives, like we're open-minded and receptive to innovation and new ways of living.
- Sarah** Exactly, so you should be receptive to a few elderly people who want to live a little.
- Mike** A few? The over 60s group is growing faster than all the younger age groups. In 30 years, it will have doubled.
- Sarah** So there will be a lot of demand for sky diving then. Could be a good business opportunity, eh?
- Mike** Are you messing with me? Old people need to rest and take it easy.
- Sarah** Just like a millennial does then?
- Mike** Very good.